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Applicants: Ngai et al.  
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ENCODING SYSTEM  
Attorney Docket No.: END920010078US1

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1. Amendment Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate);
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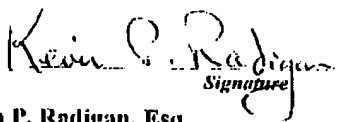
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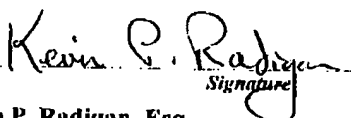

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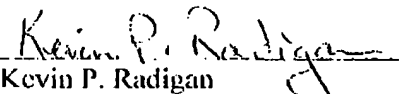
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Supplemental Response to Office Action

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed responsive to the Office Action mailed December 1, 2004, in connection with the above-designated U.S. patent application and supplemental to the Response to Office Action mailed February 17, 2005. This Supplemental Response to Office Action replaces the prior Response to Office Action mailed February 17, 2005, and is submitted to further prosecution of the present application. Allowance of the application is respectfully requested in view of the Amendments and Remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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